

REMARKS

In accordance with the foregoing, claims 1, 7, 17, 18 and 24 have been amended. Claims 1-14, 17-18 and 20-24 are pending and under consideration.

The rejections are respectfully traversed. Using independent claim 1 as an example, this claim recites displaying a number of the major channel separately from the corresponding minor channel numbers. For example, present FIG. 3 illustrates major channel '2' separate from minor channel numbers 2-1 to 2-4.

In contrast, Eyer teaches displaying minor channel numbers only, i.e., ABC-1, ABC-2 or 10.1, 10.2. Eyer, col. 9, ln. 67 to col. 10, ln. 2. At table 2 of the reference, these same minor channel numbers are listed as channels 111-113. However, the corresponding major channel number is not listed. It is acknowledged that channel 10 is the "ABC Group, Primary Channel." However, this does not correspond to the claimed major channel, since the channels 111-113 are not "received through" channel 10, as claimed.

The remaining references do not overcome this deficiency in Eyer, and are not relied upon to do so. Accordingly, withdrawal of the rejection is requested.

There being no further outstanding objections or rejections, it is submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. An early action to that effect is courteously solicited.


Finally, if there are any formal matters remaining after this response, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned to attend to these matters.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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